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Federal Railroad
Administration

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FRA-2003-16265-2

Mr. Mark P. Sullivan Chief Mechanical Officer Long Island Rail Road Hillside Maintenance Complex 93-59 183 Street Hollis, NY 11423

Dear Mr. Sullivan:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of September 22, 2003. In that letter you requested on behalf of the Long Island Rail Road, that the Federal Railroad Administration grant a waiver of compliance with certain provisions of 49 CFR 229 (Railroad Locomotive Safety Standards).

Your request has been designated Docket Number FRA-2003-16265. All information contained in this and other dockets are now available on the Internet at http://dms.dot.gov.

Sincerely,

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Docket Clerk